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Applicants:

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The Honorable Commissioner for Patents

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

These amendments and remarks are in response to the Final Official Action, which was mailed on July 30, 2008 and which has a period of response which expires on October 30, 2008. The response is filed within two months of the July 30, 2008 Final Office Action. Therefore, no extension fees are due. Please amend the application as set forth below:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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